



Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-4006

April 28, 2022

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Claflin University Bioscience Research and Technology Center in fiscal year 2023 from the Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies under the Commerce, NIST - Construction of Research Facilities account.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Claflin University, located at:

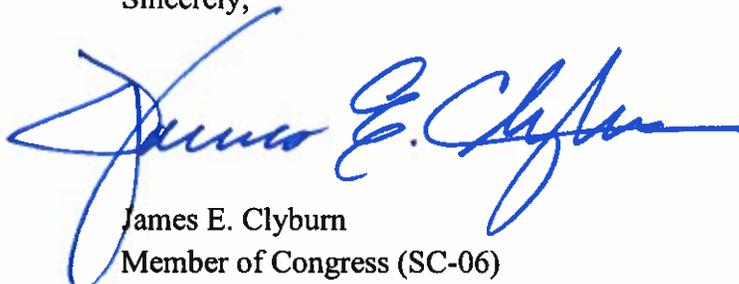
Claflin University
400 Magnolia St
Orangeburg, South Carolina 29115
SC-06 Congressional District

The funding would be used for the construction of a new science and technology building that will serve as the central core for science, technology, engineering, and mathematics research at Claflin University.

This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and would expand the University's research infrastructure to allow more students—especially those from rural and underserved backgrounds—to participate in critical, cutting-edge research. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,



James E. Clyburn
Member of Congress (SC-06)